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TO THE MEN WHO GO DOWN TO THE SEA IN SHIPS THE CRY OF ADVENTURE IS LIKE MUSIC TO THEIR EARS! BUT WHEN THAT CRY SUDDENLY TURNS INTO A WAIL, THE BANSHEE-LIKE WAIL OF IMMINENT DESTRUCTION AT AT THE HAND OF AN OCEAN TURNED ENEMY, THEN MEN SUCH AS NORTON MITCHELL, TOSSED AND ALONE ON AN UNMARKED POINT OF BOILING FURY, WISH THE MUSIC WOULD STOP! YET FOR NORTON, AT THE BRINK OF DEFEAT, THERE IS ONE MORE SOUND ABOUT TO BE HEARD...THE MUSIC OF ANOTHER TIME AND ANOTHER PLACE...THE MUSIC OF THE TWILIGHT ZONE!
KARASSSHHHH
BWOOOM
ZZZZSSSTTT
KRACKE
STOP! STOP! PLEASE... STOP! I...I CAN'T TAKE IT ANY LONGER... WON'T LAST...BETTER TO...TO DROWN THAN GO ON...AGAINST... AGAINST THIS! NOOO! FOG! I WON'T BE ABLE TO SEE...WON'T BE ABLE TO FIGHT...ANY... LONGER...GOING INTO THE FOG...
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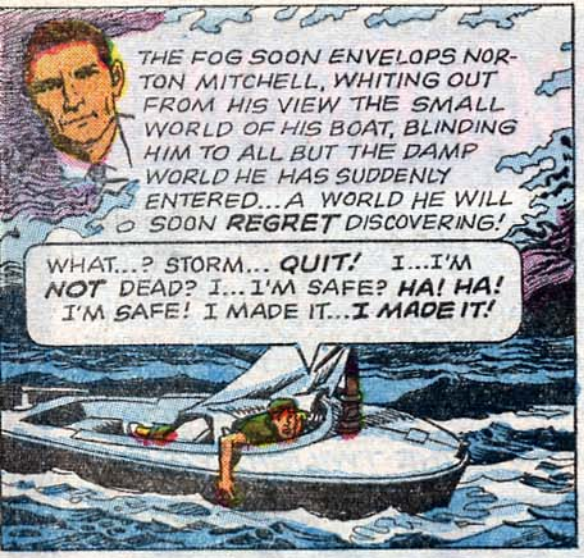
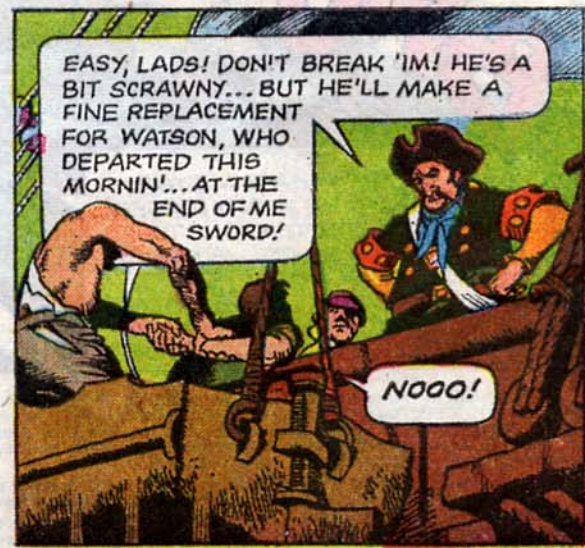

THE FOG SOON ENVELOPS NORTON MITCHELL, WHITING OUT FROM HIS VIEW THE SMALL WORLD OF HIS BOAT, BLINDING HIM TO ALL BUT THE DAMP WORLD HE HAS SUDDENLY ENTERED... A WORLD HE WILL SOON REGRET DISCOVERING!
WHAT...? STORM... QUIT! I...I'M NOT DEAD? I... I'M SAFE? HA! HA! I'M SAFE! I MADE IT... I MADE IT!

I'M SAFE... GOT TO PUT BOAT TOGETHER. REPAIR SAILS... BUT... HA! HA!. I'M SAFE. I... AHHHHHH!

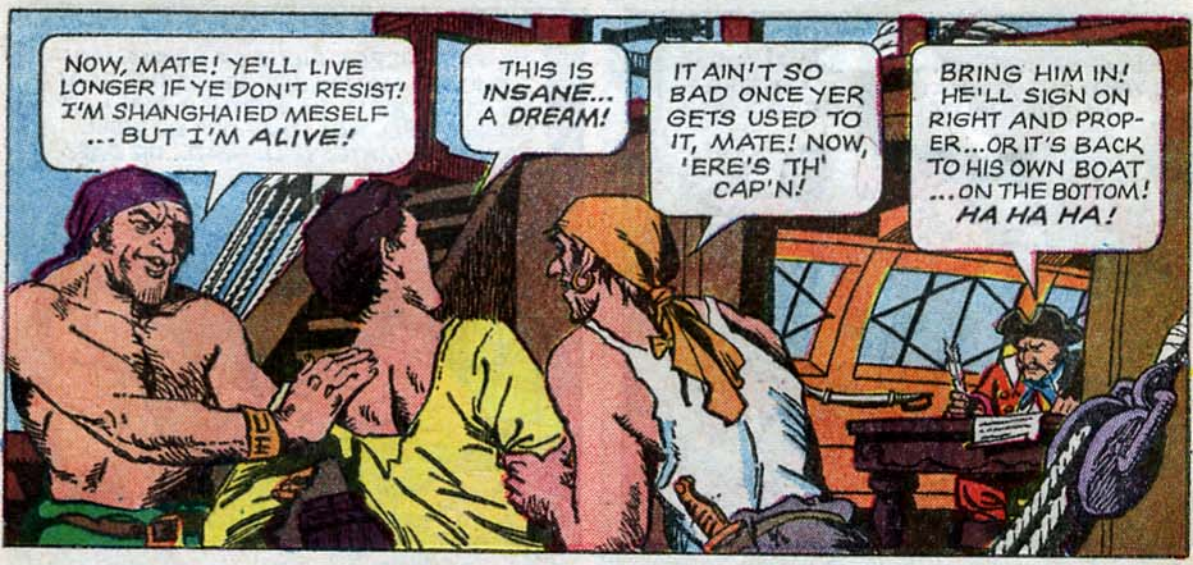
CASTAWAY OFF THE PORT BOW... WE'VE STRUCK HIM!
CAPTAIN CLEGG... WE'VE RUN DOWN A CASTAWAY!
READY TO COME ABOUT! MISTER BRAND...
AWAY THE LONGBOAT... BRING THE MAN TO ME!
AYE, CAP'N!
AHHHHH!

CAREFUL, YE LAMEBACKED IDIOT! YE'LL CRACK HIS SKULL ON THE GUNWALE!
'HOY, MATES! WILL YEZ LOOK ASTERN TO TH' LIKES A THAT! OY'VE NEVER SEEN A BOAT LIKE THAT BEFORE!
OOOH!


EASY, LADS! DON'T BREAK 'IM! HE'S A BIT SCRAWNY... BUT HE'LL MAKE A FINE REPLACEMENT FOR WATSON, WHO DEPARTED THIS MORNIN'... AT THE END OF ME SWORD!
NOOO!

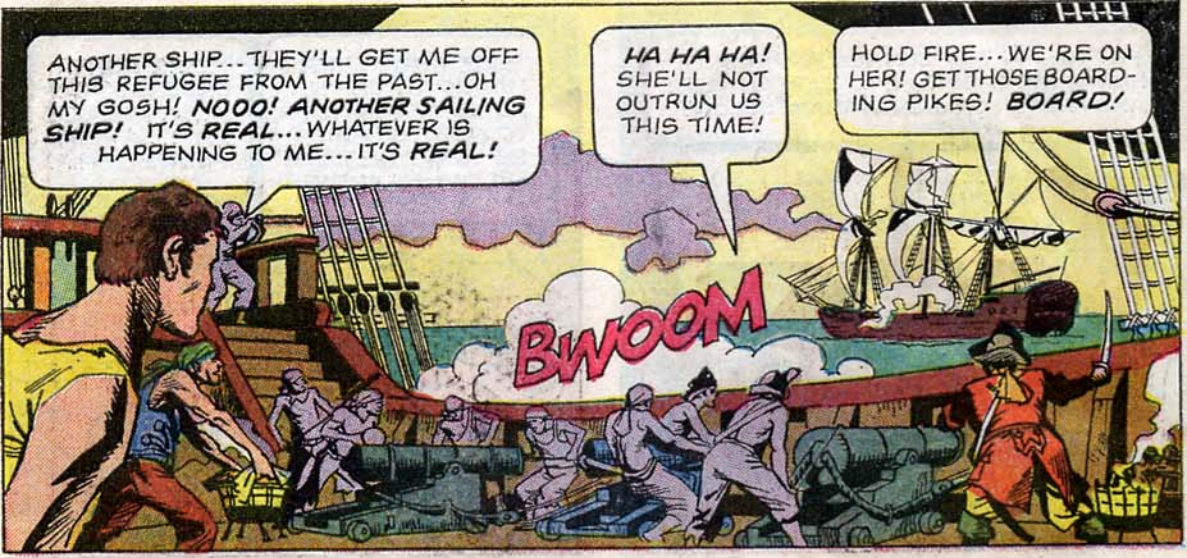
PUT HIM IN DRY CLOTHES AND BRING HIM IN ME CABIN! HE'LL SIGN ON RIGHT AND PROPER OR JOIN WATSON BELOW!
AYE, CAP'N CLEGG!
NO...LET GO... THERE'S BEEN A MISTAKE...

'ERE, MATE! YER HEARD TH' CAP'N! HE'LL BE WANTIN' TO SEE YOU AND HE WON'T BE TAKIN' NO FER AN ANSWER!
I...I DON'T UNDERSTAND! A...A PIRATE SHIP... A REAL PIRATE'S SHIP?


NOW, MATE! YE'LL LIVE LONGER IF YE DON'T RESIST! I'M SHANGHAIED MESELF ...BUT I'M ALIVE!
THIS IS INSANE... A DREAM!
IT AIN'T SO BAD ONCE YER GETS USED TO IT, MATE! NOW, 'ERE'S TH' CAP'N!
BRING HIM IN! HE'LL SIGN ON RIGHT AND PROPER...OR IT'S BACK TO HIS OWN BOAT ...ON THE BOTTOM! HA HA HA!

NOW SIGN OR TASTE THE SWEET MERCY OF DAMASCUS! SIGN!
I...I'LL SIGN ...YOU'RE ALL CRAZY... BUT I'LL SIGN!

SHIP AHOY!
DON'T JUST STAND THERE, YOU BLUBBERING FOOL!... YE'VE SIGNED ON AS A PIRATE AND A PIRATE YE'LL BE! ON DECK, ALL HANDS!
A SHIP... I'M SAVED!


ANOTHER SHIP... THEY'LL GET ME OFF THIS REFUGEE FROM THE PAST... OH MY GOSH! NOOO! ANOTHER SAILING SHIP! IT'S REAL... WHATEVER IS HAPPENING TO ME... IT'S REAL!
HA HA HA! SHE'LL NOT OUTRUN US THIS TIME!
HOLD FIRE... WE'RE ON HER! GET THOSE BOARDING PIKES! BOARD!
BWOOM

GIVE IN, YE DOG! ALL WE WANT IS WHAT'S IN THE HOLD!
SCUM! CURSE OF THE HIGH SEAS... AH!
CHUG
BAM
CLANG

YE WORTHLESS PIECE OF DRIFTWOOD! I SHOULD HAVE LEFT YE TO THE SEA! YE STOOD BY WITH NEITHER GUN NOR SWORD! YE'LL NOT COME OFF SO WELL NEXT TIME, MATE! YE'LL FIGHT... OR DIE!

YE'VE GOT TO DO AS THE CAP'N SAYS, MATE!
YER A STRANGE 'UN... BUT HE'LL WALK YE...
...OVER THE SIDE IF YE DON'T FIGHT!
AY, HE WILL AT THAT! I HAVE SEEN IT, LAD!
BUT I CAN'T FIGHT... CAN'T KILL!

I WON'T! THIS IS A DREAM... AN INSANE DREAM! I'LL GET AWAY... GOT TO GET AWAY FROM THAT MADMAN...
FROM THIS LIVING DREAM...
STOP!
DON'T DO IT, MAN! HE'LL FEED YE T' TH' SHARKS! STOP HIM!

STOP! YE COWARD! I'LL HAVE NO ESCAPES FROM MY SHIP!
AIEEEE!!
POK

I MISS WHEN I WANT TO MISS... AND NEXT TIME I WON'T WANT TO! NOW, YE YELLOW SEA RAT... YE'LL PLEDGE TO ME...OR I'LL PUT YE OVER THE SIDE... NOW!
I...I PLEDGE! CAN'T GET AWAY... I PLEDGE!

THAT'S BETTER, MAN! BUT I'LL BE WATCHING YOU! EVERY MOVE YE MAKE, I'LL SEE IT! YE TRY ONE MORE ESCAPE AND IT'LL BE THE LAST THING YE EVER DO!
I...I'LL FIGHT...I PLEDGE!
SHIP AHOY!

KRAK
BOOM BOOM
PREPARE TO BOARD!
BWOOM

GIVE UP, YE SCUM!
MADRE MIA!
CLANK
WE'LL TAKE YER TREASURE... YER CAN KEEP YER 'EAD!
CLANG
I CAN'T KILL ANYBODY...THIS IS BETTER! HE'LL HAVE A CRACKED HEAD... BUT HE'LL BE ALIVE!
SALVANOS... AIEEEEE!
THUD

ANOTHER BOARDING! WHEN WILL THIS MADNESS STOP?
AH!
WEEKS! I'VE BEEN HERE FOR WEEKS!
UNGH!
I CAN'T GO ON!... I'M LUCKY TO STILL BE ALIVE... BUT I CAN'T GO ON!
AIEEE!
THIS IS MY LAST! I'VE GOT TO ESCAPE!... I'D RATHER DIE THAN FIGHT INNOCENT MEN!
OW!

HE CAN'T MAKE ME FIGHT STRANGERS ANY LONGER! STEALING... LOOTING... KILLING! THE LONGBOAT IS BEHIND THE SHIP! I'LL TAKE IT... ESCAPE...
AHH!
YE'VE BEEN WARNED BEFORE! YE'LL SERVE AS A WARNING TO THE REST O' ME CREW!

KEEL-HAUL HIM!
IT SHOULDN'T HAPPEN... NOT EVEN TO A COWARD!
IT'S THE CAPTAIN'S WAY... IT'S HIM...OR US!
NOOO!

DREAM... WHOLE THING...UNREAL...
BUMP THUMP

HE'S ALIVE!
THANKS FER THAT! I SORT OF TOOK A LIKING TO THE ODD DUCK!
SAVE YER PITY! IF HE'S ALIVE, HE LIVES TO FIGHT ANOTHER DAY! TAKE HIM BELOW!
OOOO!

YE'VE SURVIVED, MAN! BUT YE'LL NOT GET ANOTHER CHANCE! FROM THIS MINUTE ON YE'LL STAY IN SIGHT! TOMORROW WE GO ASHORE TO CACHE OUR LOOT! YE'LL BE AT MY SIDE!
ANYTHING... ANYTHING!
THE NEXT MORNING...
PULL, YE SORRY EXCUSES FOR SEA DOGS! PULL! MAKE FOR CLEGG'S ISLAND! WE'VE A TREASURE TROVE TO BURY... HA HA HA!
CAP'N CLEGG... 'E'S GETTIN' AWAY!
SHALL I SHOOT 'M, CAP'N?
HE'LL NOT GET FAR! WE'LL HUNT 'IM DOWN AFTER WE HAVE FINISHED!
GOT TO GET AWAY... AS FAR AS I CAN... HE'LL KILL ME... IF HE CATCHES ME! GOT TO HIDE... LET THEM GO AWAY... ANYTHING... ANYTHING BUT GOING BACK WITH THEM...! PUFF!
CRUNCH
KRACK
I'VE DONE IT! THEY WON'T FIND ME HERE! THEY'LL GO AWAY! I CAN SIGNAL A PASSING SHIP! THE CAPTAIN... WHERE IS THE CAPTAIN? AHHHH!
YE DEVIL DOG! DID YE THINK YE COULD RUN FROM CAPTAIN CLEGG? HA HA!

WH-WHAT WAS THAT? PISTOLS! HA... YOUR MEN ARE TURNING AGAINST YOU!
BAM BAM BAM
YOU FOOL! THAT'S MY MATE...ELIMINATING WITNESSES TO WHERE THE BOOTY IS BURIED! POOR FOOL DOESN'T KNOW HE'S NEXT!
AS SOON AS I'M RID OF HIM, I'LL DEAL WITH YOU!
MATE! HAVE YE DONE YER DEED?
AYE, CAP'N! OUR TREASURE IS SAFE FROM THAT SCUMMY CREW... FOREVER! HA HA!
THEN COME WITH ME, MATE! THERE'S SOMETHIN' YE'LL LIKE TO SEE...
AYE, CAP'N! YE IS A MAN A SAILOR CAN TRUST!
THE MURDEROUS-- THE LONGBOAT! I'LL TAKE THE LONGBOAT...I'LL GET AWAY YET!
BAM
HE DID IT! THE DEVIL! I'VE GOT TO GET FREE... GET AWAY...GET AWAY!
COME BACK HERE, YE WRENCH ...COME BACK!
I'M CLEAR... HIS PISTOL CAN'T REACH ME! I-I'LL HEAD FOR THAT FOG! MEN ON THE SHIP WON'T FIND ME...I'LL BE SAFE!
COME BACK...I'LL SEE YOU IN HADES, YE SCOUNDREL... COME BACK!
BOOM

DAYS...DRIFTING FOR DAYS...FOG WON'T STOP... DOOMED..DOOMED!
HEY, BILL! I SEE A BOAT OUT THERE! LOOK! A FUNNY-LOOKING BOAT...LIKE OUT OF THE MOVIES!
GET A LOAD OF THIS BIRD'S OUTFIT! MUST BE SOME KIND OF A NUT!
AND THE BOAT... LIKE OUT OF A HISTORY BOOK!
OOHH! WATCH OUT...CAPTAIN CLEGG AFTER ME...CAPTAIN CLEGG...
LET'S GET HIM TO A HOSPITAL!
THREE DAYS LATER...
HE WAS AN ODD ONE! RAMBLED ON ABOUT TREASURES... PIRATES! A REAL NUT!
JUST UP AND LEFT? WELL, WE'LL FIND HIM AND PUT HIM IN A NICE ROOM, ALL TO HIMSELF! TCH-TCH! WACKY AS A LOON!
THEY WOULDN'T BELIEVE ME! BUT IT WAS TRUE!... TRUE! I KNOW IT... AH! THIS IS THE PLACE...THE SAME PLACE! IT'S THERE ...I KNOW IT'S THERE!
THE MEN WHO HAVE HEARD THE MUSIC OF THE SEA KNOW ITS CALL IS IRRESISTIBLE! FOR NORTON MITCHELL, THE CALL LED TO UNDREAMED OF ADVENTURE, TO THE END OF THE RAINBOW--BY WAY OF THE TWILIGHT ZONE!
YOU NEVER TOLD ME HOW YOU GOT ALL YOUR MONEY, NORTON! YOU MUST BE IMMENSELY WEALTHY!
YOU COULD SAY I EARNED IT... THE HARD WAY! THE VERY HARD WAY!

# The Curse of Amne Machen

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Throughout the remote corners of Asia, from the Malayan jungles to the deserts of Kara Kum, men talk in whispers of the mighty mountain called Amne Machen! Sacred to the gods, this soaring peak is said to be far higher than Mount Everest, the highest mountain in the world! It is reported to be deep in the fastness of Tibet.

The sacred mountain is reported to be guarded by warriors of the fierce Ngolok tribe who have had this task for untold generations. But Amne Machen is also guarded by a curse: should any infidel ever lay eyes on the holy peak, then the awful power of the Gods would strike him down.

How much truth is there behind this eerie legend? In 1920 General George Pereira, a retired British soldier, set off to hike across Asia, from the Chinese coast to the Caspian sea. Deep in the Tibetan uplands he found shelter for a night inside the cave of a Tibetan holy man. It was from this hermit that Pereira first heard of Amne Machen.

Pereira refused to believe that any mountain could be higher than Everest. But the holy man insisted that it was true, for he had seen them both. As for the legend of the curse, no unbeliever who had ever seen Amne Machen had ever escaped with his life. Intrigued by the tale, the General set out to find the mountain.

In the many months that followed Pereira searched through the mountain country of Tibet and China, following every clue. When questioned, natives remained silent or warned him to end his search lest he be slain by the curse.

At last Pereira's dream was realized. Far across a distant mountain range he sighted a mountain soaring many thousands of feet into the clouds, a mountain so vast that it left him breathless. The general was a world traveler. He had seen the tallest mountains of the Andes and of the Alps. He was certain that this was the tallest peak he had ever seen. Immediately he began to make plans to organize an expedition to reach and chart the sacred mountain.

But Pereira had forgotten about the curse. Heading for the coast he joined a caravan crossing from Tibet to China. In mid-journey he tumbled from his horse, clawing at his chest. He died in agony moments later. The Chinese merchants in the caravan did not have to ask what had struck him down. They knew this outlander had boasted of seeing Amne Machen. Fearing the curse, they even refused to touch his body. No one who knew Pereira could believe he died of heart failure. He was a model of physical fitness and was only in his late 40's. But certainly this talk of a curse was ridiculous, too.

But then, during World War II, several Allied pilots reported nearly crashing into a huge mountain on the Chinese-Tibetan border. Their altimeters registered heights of more than 30,000 feet, far higher than Mt. Everest.

There were rumors that these pilots never survived the war. Years afterward an American journalist and two friends set out to locate Amne Machen—and eventually found it. One of the men died in a rock-fall only a day after seeing the sacred mountain. The second man died in Peking, of typhoid. The newsman drowned shortly afterward.

Did the mountain they saw top Mt. Everest? No one knows. The instruments they used were damaged on the homeward journey. The secrets of Amne Machen are still guarded by the mysterious curse. No white man has ever seen the holy peak and lived for long.

PAST, PRESENT... ETERNITY
IN THE FALL OF 1957, A SMALL GROUP OF STUDENTS LIVING IN MEXICO CITY DEVELOPED A STRONG INTEREST IN HYPNOTISM, THE OCCULT, THE WORLD BEYOND! ALL BUT ONE, DICK EVANS, WERE BELIEVERS...
YOU ARE GOING BACK... BACK... BACK TO BEFORE YOU WERE BORN INTO THIS LIFE... BACK!
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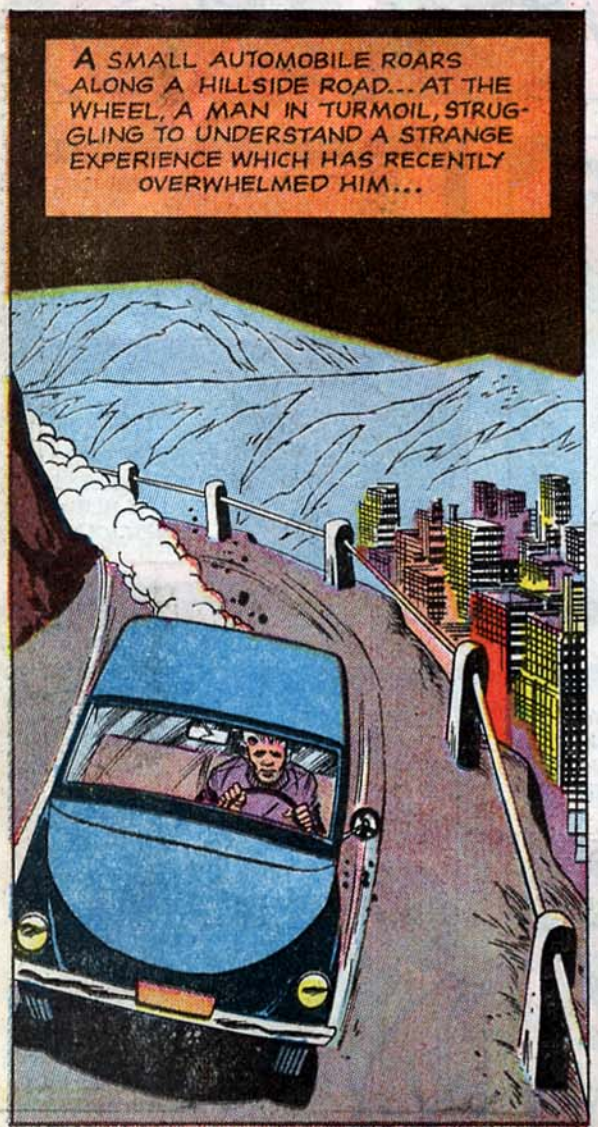
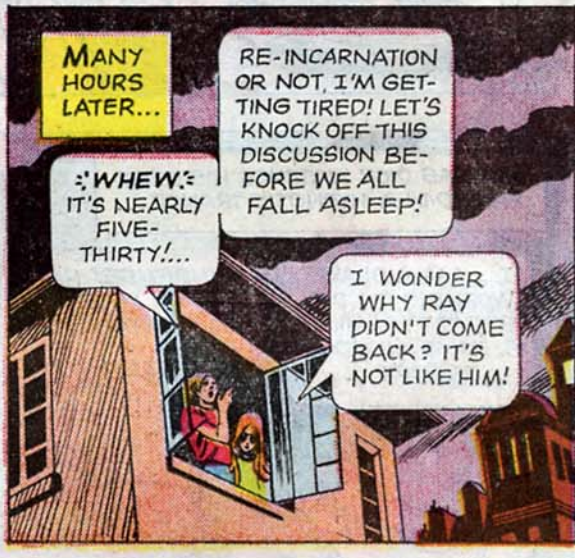
AND AS DICK WATCHES HIS BEST FRIEND IN A HYPNOTIC TRANCE...
I... AM A SLAVE... WORKING ON THE GREAT PYRAMID... I HAVE LIVED BEFORE...
NONSENSE! HE'S MAKING IT UP IN HIS SUBCONSCIOUS!
THE PHARAOH HAS ORDERED ...GREAT PYRAMID...THOUSANDS ...TENS OF THOUSANDS OF SLAVES... WE WORK DAY AND NIGHT... MY FATHER SLAVED ON THIS SAME TOMB...
I STILL SAY IT'S JUST BOB'S SUGGESTION PLANTED IN HIS SUBCONSCIOUS!
IT'S A GREAT STORY YOU MADE UP, RAY, AND YOU KEPT US ALL SPELLBOUND!
I--I DON'T KNOW, DICK! I HAVE THE WEIRDEST FEELING! I REALLY BELIEVE IT!...
O.K., O.K.! SO YOU BELIEVE! JUST BECAUSE I DON'T DOESN'T MEAN YOU HAVE TO LEAVE THE PARTY!
I WANT TO GET AWAY FOR A WHILE... I'VE GOT TO THINK...

WHAT NEITHER DICK EVANS NOR RAY CREIGHTON KNEW WAS THAT THEY NEVER AGAIN WOULD SEE ONE ANOTHER--ALIVE!
VOOOOOM

WHERE DID HE RUN OFF TO?
I DON'T KNOW! ALL OF THIS RE-INCARNATION BUSINESS HAS HIM ALL MESSED UP! I WISH HE WOULDN'T DRIVE WHEN HE'S THAT WAY! HE FORGETS WHAT HE'S DOING!
YEAH, HE'S ALREADY FORGOTTEN HIS COAT!


A SMALL AUTOMOBILE ROARS ALONG A HILLSIDE ROAD... AT THE WHEEL, A MAN IN TURMOIL, STRUGGLING TO UNDERSTAND A STRANGE EXPERIENCE WHICH HAS RECENTLY OVERWHELMED HIM...


MANY HOURS LATER...
RE-INCARNATION OR NOT, I'M GETTING TIRED! LET'S KNOCK OFF THIS DISCUSSION BEFORE WE ALL FALL ASLEEP!
WHEW! IT'S NEARLY FIVE-THIRTY!...
I WONDER WHY RAY DIDN'T COME BACK? IT'S NOT LIKE HIM!

SPEAK OF THE DEVIL! THAT'S HIM NOW! I'D RECOGNIZE HIS CLUNKING BOOTS ANYWHERE!
THANK GOODNESS! I CAN SAY IT NOW, BUT I WAS WORRIED!
KNOCK! KNOCK! KNOCK!
THUNK! THUNK! THUNK!

H-HE'S NOT THERE!
BUT IT WAS HIM...IT WAS!

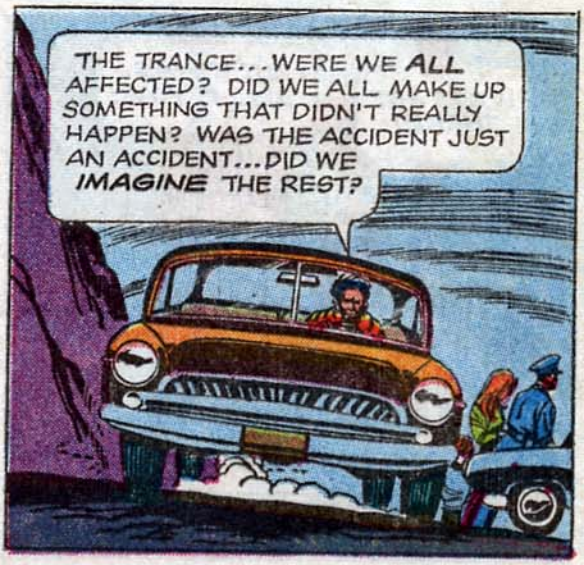
I DON'T GET IT! WE ALL HEARD HIS STEPS! HE KNOCKED ON THE DOOR!
DICK--LOOK! RAY'S COAT!... IT'S MOVING!

GREAT SCOTT! IT IS FALLING... BY ITSELF!

EEEE!
THE NAIL!
IT'S COMING OUT OF THE WALL!

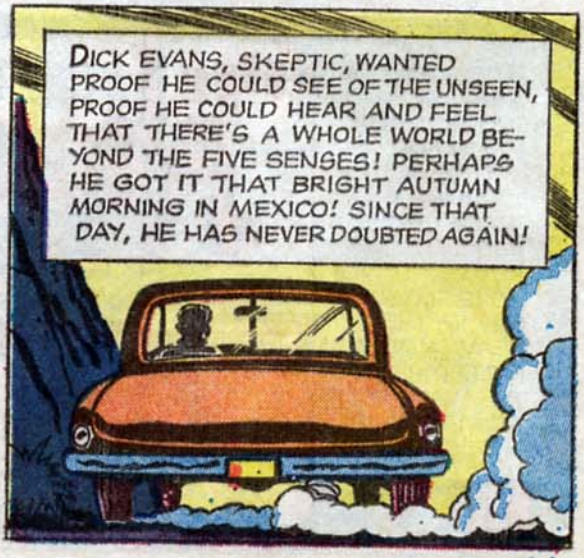
THE SCENE WE ARE NOW WATCHING ACTUALLY HAPPENED AND HAS BEEN VERIFIED BY EACH OF THE PEOPLE IN THE ROOM! SLOWLY, AS IF FLOATING ON AIR, THE HEAVY NAIL WAS PULLED FROM THE WALL AND DRIFTED TO THE FLOOR...
EEEE!
DICK! IT'S RAY! IT'S GOT TO BE...
SOMETHING HAS HAPPENED TO HIM! SOMETHING TERRIBLE!
NO! NO! IT CAN'T BE!...

LATER...
BUT HOW DID YOU KNOW TO LOOK ON THIS HIGHWAY?
RAY OFTEN DROVE OUT HERE...TO RELAX...AND NOW HE'S GONE!
WE KNEW SOMETHING WAS WRONG ...BECAUSE OF SOMETHING WE SAW!
RAY...DEAD? I...I CAN'T BELIEVE IT!


THE TRANCE...WERE WE ALL AFFECTED? DID WE ALL MAKE UP SOMETHING THAT DIDN'T REALLY HAPPEN? WAS THE ACCIDENT JUST AN ACCIDENT...DID WE IMAGINE THE REST?

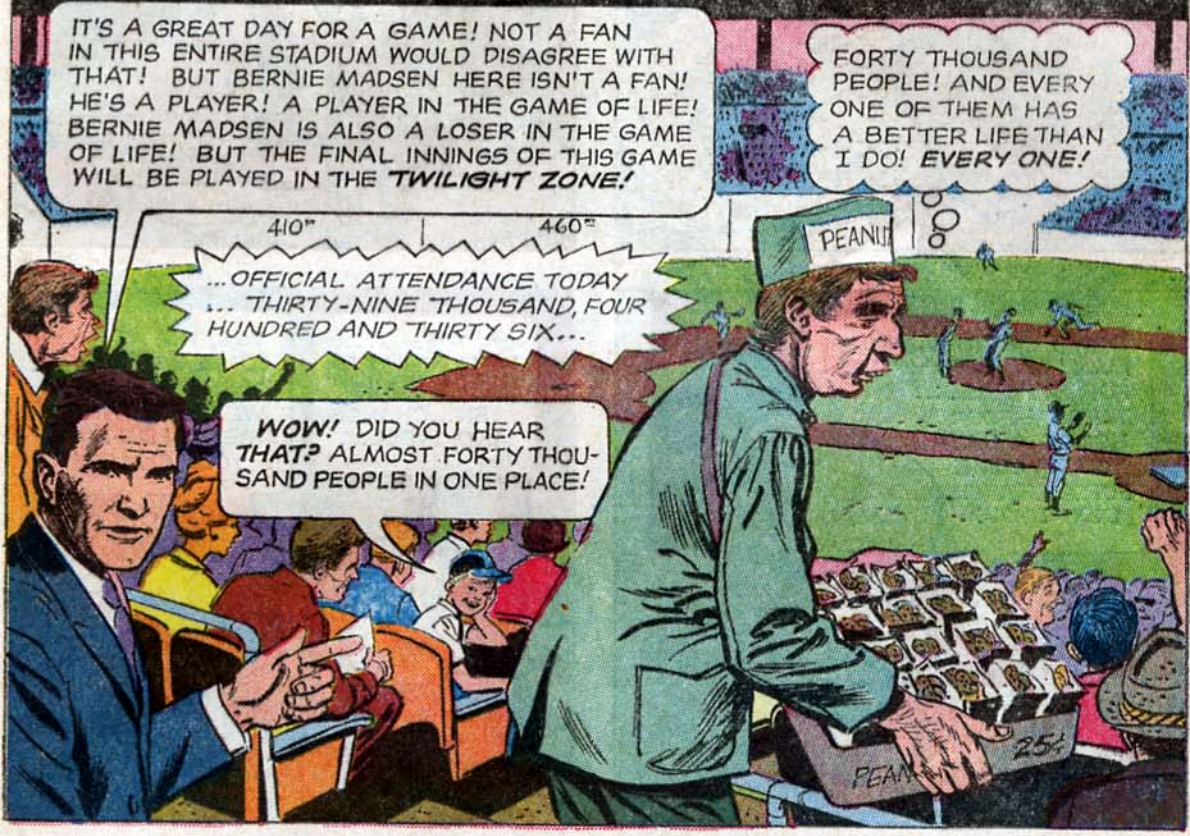
THERE HAS TO BE AN EXPLANATION... IT COULDN'T BE WHAT WE THINK... IT...THERE'S SOMETHING...SOMETHING IN HERE WITH ME!

RAY!


DICK EVANS, SKEPTIC, WANTED PROOF HE COULD SEE OF THE UNSEEN, PROOF HE COULD HEAR AND FEEL THAT THERE'S A WHOLE WORLD BEYOND THE FIVE SENSES! PERHAPS HE GOT IT THAT BRIGHT AUTUMN MORNING IN MEXICO! SINCE THAT DAY, HE HAS NEVER DOUBTED AGAIN!

# THE TWILIGHT ZONE

# TRAPPED BETWEEN LIVES


IT'S A GREAT DAY FOR A GAME! NOT A FAN IN THIS ENTIRE STADIUM WOULD DISAGREE WITH THAT! BUT BERNIE MADSEN HERE ISN'T A FAN! HE'S A PLAYER! A PLAYER IN THE GAME OF LIFE! BERNIE MADSEN IS ALSO A LOSER IN THE GAME OF LIFE! BUT THE FINAL INNINGS OF THIS GAME WILL BE PLAYED IN THE TWILIGHT ZONE!
FORTY THOUSAND PEOPLE! AND EVERY ONE OF THEM HAS A BETTER LIFE THAN I DO! EVERY ONE!
410"
460"
...OFFICIAL ATTENDANCE TODAY ... THIRTY-NINE THOUSAND, FOUR HUNDRED AND THIRTY SIX...
WOW! DID YOU HEAR THAT? ALMOST FORTY THOUSAND PEOPLE IN ONE PLACE!
PEANUTS
25¢

KEEP THE CHANGE, KID!
KID! HE CALLED ME KID! PEOPLE DON'T EVEN NOTICE ME! I'M NOT A KID! I'M A MAN! WHY DON'T PEOPLE TREAT ME LIKE A MAN? WHY?

I'LL TELL YOU WHY! BECAUSE YOU'RE BERNIE MADSEN! YOU'RE SKINNY AND UGLY AND YOU'RE A NOBODY! THEY LAUGHED AT YOU WHEN YOU WERE A KID AND THEY'RE STILL LAUGHING!

IF ONLY THERE WERE SOME WAY TO CHANGE... ANYTHING!
VENDOR'S DRESSING ROOM
WHAT'S THIS?
CHANGE YOUR LIFE
DON'T BE CONTENT WITH DISCONTENT. THERE IS SOMETHING YOU CAN DO... RESULTS GUARANTEED. BE A NEW PERSON... IMMEDIATELY! NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY
86 DIVISION STREET

SOON...
86 DIVISION STREET! THIS IS THE ADDRESS BUT THERE'S NOTHING HERE! NO SIGN...
...NOTHING! IT'S SOME KIND OF JOKE!
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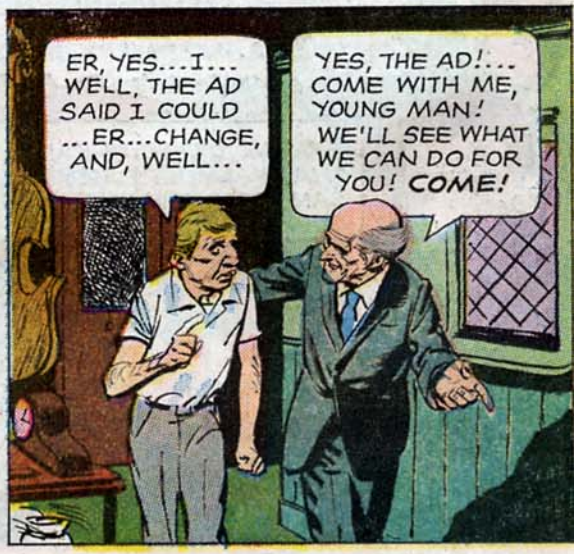
DON'T GO AWAY, YOUNG MAN! MY STORE IS OPEN FOR BUSINESS... TWENTY-FOUR HOURS A DAY! YOU DID COME FOR A CHANGE, DIDN'T YOU?


ER, YES... I... WELL, THE AD SAID I COULD ...ER... CHANGE, AND, WELL...
YES, THE AD!... COME WITH ME, YOUNG MAN! WE'LL SEE WHAT WE CAN DO FOR YOU! COME!

OH! I HAD NO IDEA... I MEAN... SO MANY CUSTOMERS!
NOT CUSTOMERS, YOUNG MAN! THIS IS MY INVENTORY! YOU SAID YOU WANTED TO CHANGE ...JUST TAKE YOUR PICK!

B-BUT... YOU MEAN... YOU MEAN I CAN... CHANGE INTO ANY ONE OF... OF THEM? B-BUT HOW? I--I DON'T UNDERSTAND!
THERE ISN'T ANYTHING TO UNDERSTAND, MY SON! YOU SAID YOU WANTED TO CHANGE AND YOU CAN! JUST MAKE A SELECTION... AND STEP INTO THAT DRESSING ROOM!
YOU MEAN I CAN... I CAN BE HIM?
IF THAT IS YOUR CHOICE... YES!
JUST STEP INSIDE AND WHEN YOU COME OUT...
...I'LL BE HIM? I JUST CAN'T BELIEVE IT!
HEY! WOW! WHAT'S HAPPENING TO ME?
NOTHING, MY SON! NOTHING MORE THAN WHAT YOU WANTED!
I AM CHANGED! I-I'M A WHOLE NEW PERSON! GEE, I GOT SO EXCITED I FORGOT TO ASK... HOW MUCH DO I OWE?
A VERY MODEST FEE! FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS ... A MONTH!

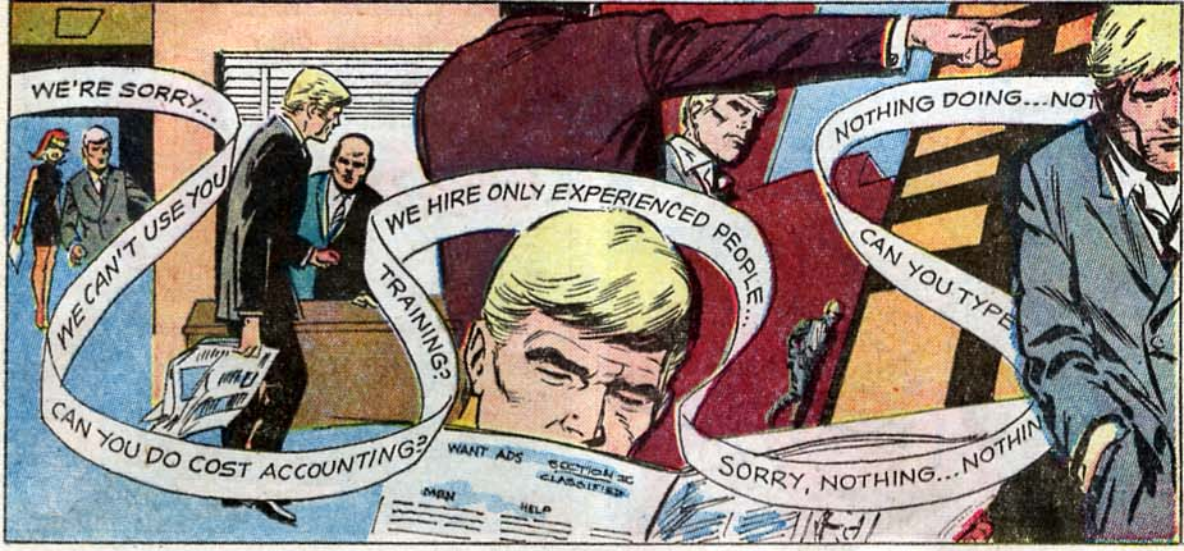
FIVE HUNDRED! A MONTH? THAT... THAT'S TOO MUCH! I COULD NEVER MAKE...
NOW YOU'RE STILL THINKING LIKE THE OLD YOU! REMEMBER... YOU'RE A NEW MAN NOW... CAPABLE OF ANYTHING!

JUST REMEMBER ONE THING... YOU CAN NEVER CHANGE BACK!
ARE YOU KIDDING? WHO WANTS TO CHANGE BACK? AND YOU'RE RIGHT! FIVE HUNDRED A MONTH WILL BE EASY!

SOON...
HERE IT IS... EXECUTIVE EMPLOYMENT SERVICE! WHY, IT'LL BE A SNAP GETTING A GOOD JOB NOW... A REAL EXECUTIVE'S JOB! I CAN SEE YOU NOW, BERNIE... YACHT... CAR... BEAUTIFUL SECRETARIES... THE WORKS!

BUT, MR. MADSEN, YOU HAVE NO EXPERIENCE IN BUSINESS! YOUR APPLICATION IS NEARLY BLANK! SCHOOLING... PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT... YOU'VE LEFT IT ALL OUT!
DON'T WORRY ABOUT THAT! JUST GIVE ME A CHANCE!... LET ME TALK TO THE BOSS! HE'LL UNDERSTAND!

I'M VERY SORRY, MR. MADSEN, BUT UNLESS YOU CAN GIVE ME SOMETHING SOLID... SCHOOLS YOU HAVE ATTENDED... YOUR SKILLS... I CAN DO NOTHING FOR YOU!
B-BUT... NEVER MIND... I CAN DO ANYTHING... FOR SOMEBODY ELSE IF NOT YOU!


WE'RE SORRY...
WE CAN'T USE YOU
CAN YOU DO COST ACCOUNTING?
WE HIRE ONLY EXPERIENCED PEOPLE...
TRAINING?
WANT ADS
SECTION 3C
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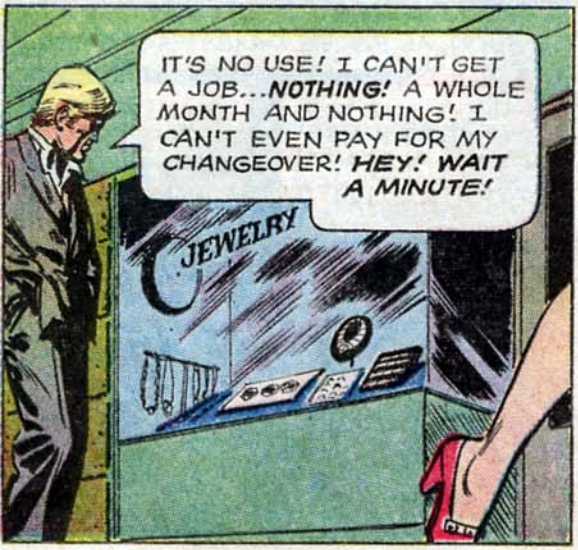
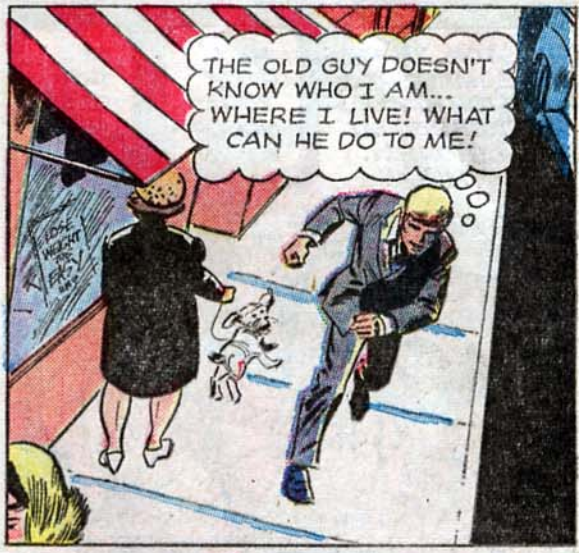
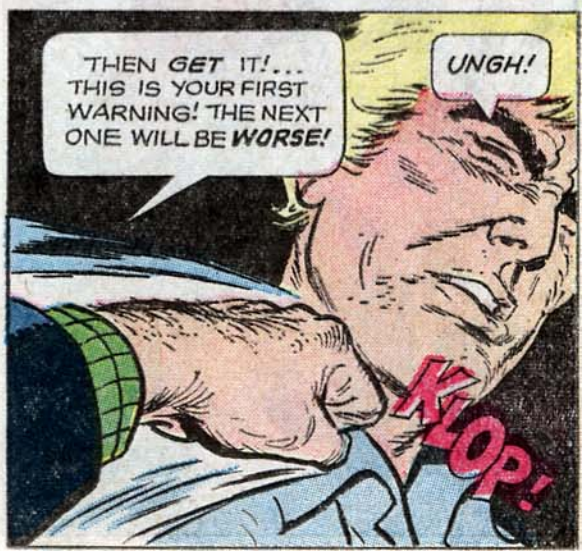
MEN
HELP
NOTHING DOING...NOT
CAN YOU TYPE
SORRY, NOTHING...NOTHIN

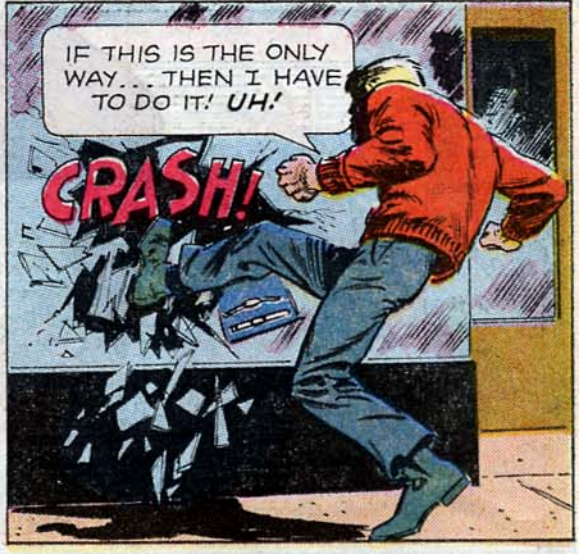

IT'S NO USE! I CAN'T GET A JOB...NOTHING! A WHOLE MONTH AND NOTHING! I CAN'T EVEN PAY FOR MY CHANGEOVER! HEY! WAIT A MINUTE!
JEWELRY


THE OLD GUY DOESN'T KNOW WHO I AM... WHERE I LIVE! WHAT CAN HE DO TO ME!

THE NEXT DAY, BERNIE ANSWERS A KNOCK ON THE DOOR...
YOU MISSED YOUR FIRST PAYMENT! FIVE HUNDRED ...REMEMBER?
HUH? ER, SURE... I'M GOING TO PAY! I--UH, JUST DON'T HAVE IT RIGHT NOW!


THEN GET IT!... THIS IS YOUR FIRST WARNING! THE NEXT ONE WILL BE WORSE!
UNGH!
KLOP!

SOON AFTER...
I'VE GOT TO GET THAT FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS SOMEHOW! I DON'T WANT ANY MORE WARNINGS! WAIT! THOSE JEWELS! THEY MUST BE WORTH FIVE HUNDRED--
JEWELRY


IF THIS IS THE ONLY WAY... THEN I HAVE TO DO IT! UH!
CRASH!

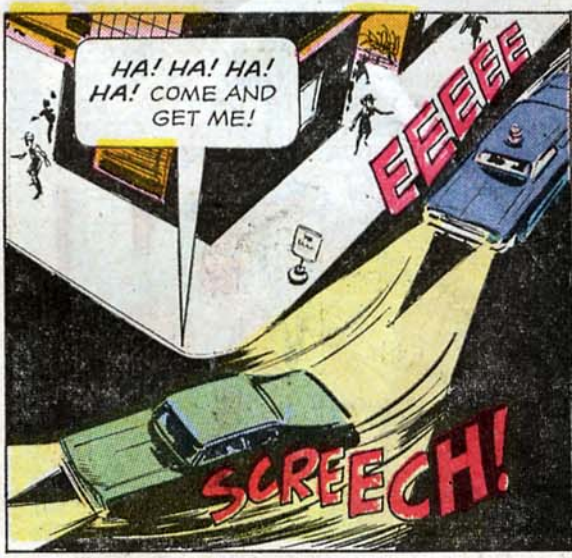
STOP...THIEF! SOMEBODY... STOP HIM! HE ROBBED MY STORE!... THIEF!
HEY, STOP, YOU-- OOOOF!
GET OUT OF MY WAY!

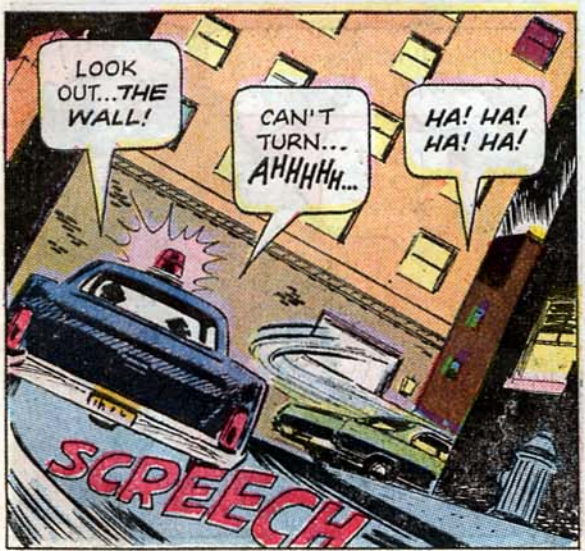
SOON, AS BERNIE MAKES HIS PAYMENT...
SEE, I TOLD YOU YOU'D BE A NEW MAN! ALREADY YOU HAVE A NEW CAREER!
YEAH! A NEW CAREER!
WHY NOT? IF I GOT AWAY WITH IT ONCE, WHY NOT AGAIN?

THAT NIGHT...
JUST KEEP QUIET AND DON'T MOVE! ONE WORD OUT OF YOU AND IT'LL BE YOUR LAST!...NOW GIMME THE KEY TO THE REGISTER!
TIRE SALE
IT'S NOT LOCKED... BUT DON'T HURT ME, MISTER... PLEASE!

STOP HIM... HE ROBBED MY STATION!
HEY! THAT'S MY CAR!
SCREECH!
HA! HA! HA! HA!

LARRY! THAT'S THE CAR THAT WAS STOLEN AT THE FILLING STATION THIS EVENING! GET HIM!
HANG ON!
SCREECH!

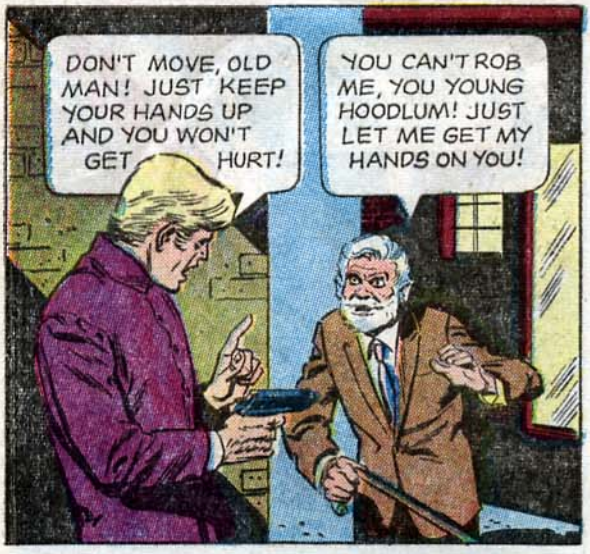

HA! HA! HA! HA! COME AND GET ME!
EEEEE
SCREECH!


LOOK OUT...THE WALL!
CAN'T TURN... AHHHHH...
HA! HA! HA! HA!
SCREECH

KRASH!
PD

HA! HA! HA! LOOKS LIKE YOU FOUND YOUR PLACE IN LIFE, BERNIE MADSEN! YOU'LL BE A SUCCESS YET! HA! HA!

BE A SUCCESS...
SUCCESS...BERNIE MADSEN
...YOU ARE A SUCCESS...
BERNIE MADSEN...SUCCESS...SUCCESS...
...SUCCESS, BERNIE MADSEN...


DON'T MOVE, OLD MAN! JUST KEEP YOUR HANDS UP AND YOU WON'T GET HURT!
YOU CAN'T ROB ME, YOU YOUNG HOODLUM! JUST LET ME GET MY HANDS ON YOU!

YOU SCOUNDREL...YOU HAVEN'T THE NERVE TO SHOOT! I CAN SEE THAT IN YOUR EYES...I'LL OPEN YOUR SCALP!

YOUNG WHIPPERSNAPPER ... AAAAAHHHHH!
DON'T DO IT... DON'T...

NOOOOO! WHAT HAVE I DONE? WHAT AM I DOING HERE? WHY... WASN'T I SATISFIED?

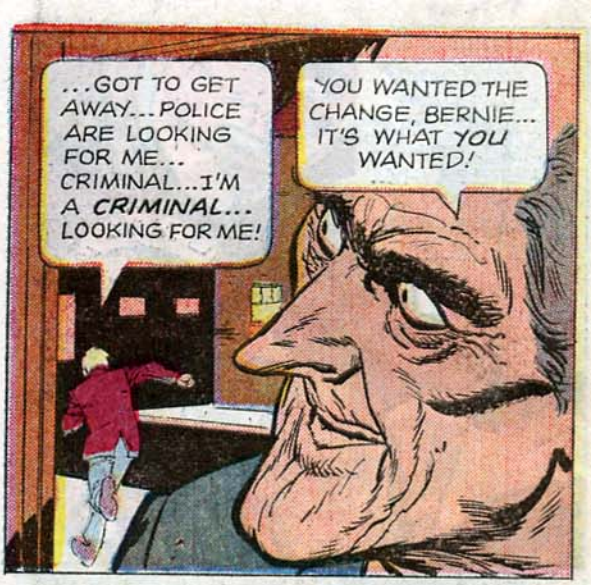
I...I'VE KILLED HIM! HIS HEART QUIT! SAME AS IF I HAD SHOT HIM ...WHAT HAVE I DONE? WHY... WHY... WHY?

ONLY ONE WAY OUT... GOT TO GET MY OLD BODY BACK... GOT TO! OPEN UP! I KNOW YOU'RE THERE! OPEN UP... PLEASE!

WHA--
GET OUT OF MY WAY!... PLEASE... GOT TO GET MY OLD BODY BACK... PLEASE ...I DON'T WANT TO BE CHANGED... I WANT TO BE WHO I WAS... PLEASE!

WHERE IS HE ...MY BODY... MY REAL BODY?

IT'S TOO LATE...TOO LATE! ONLY THIS AFTERNOON A SUCCESSFUL BUSINESSMAN CAME IN... SAID HE WANTED TO BE SOMEBODY SIMPLE, PURE, UNINVOLVED! HE CHOSE YOU, BERNIE...
NOOOO...


...GOT TO GET AWAY... POLICE ARE LOOKING FOR ME... CRIMINAL...I'M A CRIMINAL... LOOKING FOR ME!
YOU WANTED THE CHANGE, BERNIE... IT'S WHAT YOU WANTED!

THE POLICE! CAN'T LET THEM GET ME...GOT TO START FRESH... GOT TO START OVER!
SCREECH!

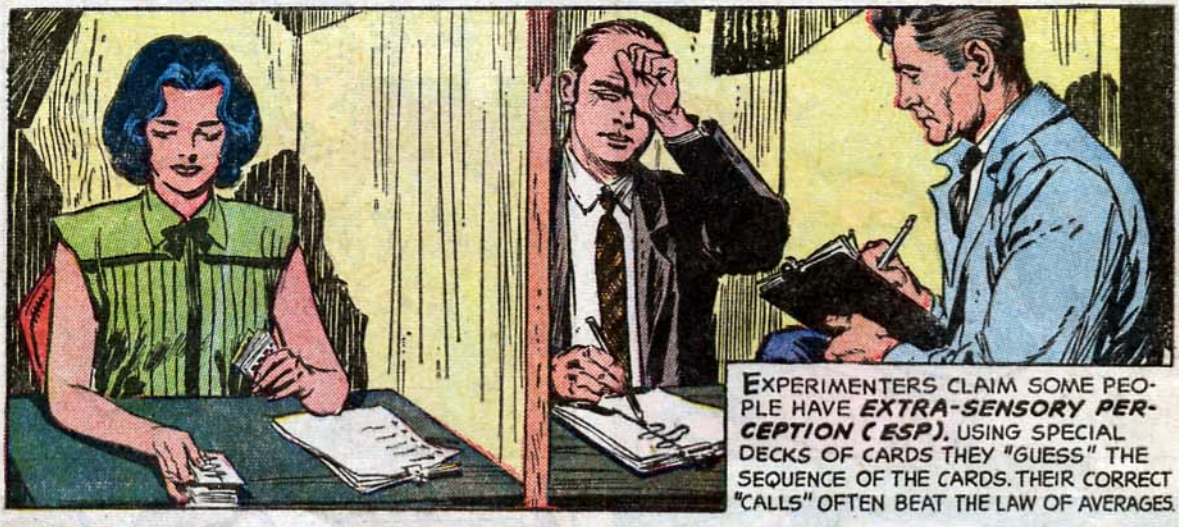
LOSE THEM...GOT TO LOSE THEM...
GET HIS TIRE!
BAM! BAM!
NIGHT GAME

SCREECH
KRAASH!

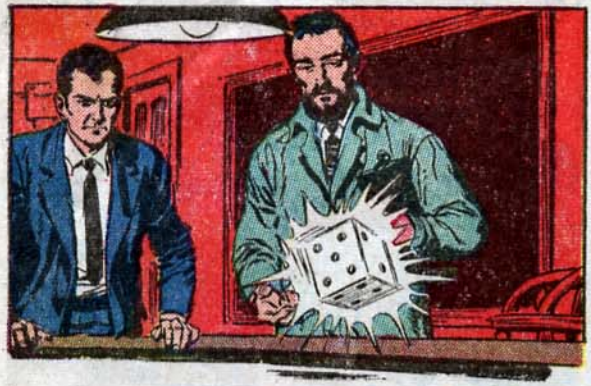
CROWD...GOT TO HIDE IN THE CROWD... START OVER ... START A NEW LIFE... NO CRIME...NEW LIFE...
THERE HE GOES!
POLICE

THEY WON'T FIND ME... TOO MANY PEOPLE! LOSE MYSELF IN THE CROWD... I'LL BE SAFE... SAFE!
STOP HIM SOMEBODY.. STOP THAT MAN!
NOOOO!
PEANUTS
IT'S ME--AAHH!
I'VE GOT HIM!
BERNIE MADSEN WAS A PLAYER IN THE SAME GAME WE ALL PLAY-- LIFE! BUT BERNIE MADSEN HAD TWO CHANCES ...AND LOST THEM BOTH! OR DID HE? SOMEWHERE BETWEEN THE FIRST AND LAST INNINGS BERNIE MADSEN STUMBLED INTO THE TWILIGHT ZONE! COULD IT BE THAT HE'S STILL THERE... TRAPPED BETWEEN TWO LIVES?

# JOURNEYS INTO THE TWILIGHT ZONE



EXPERIMENTERS CLAIM SOME PEOPLE HAVE ***EXTRA-SENSORY PERCEPTION (ESP).*** USING SPECIAL DECKS OF CARDS THEY "GUESS" THE SEQUENCE OF THE CARDS. THEIR CORRECT "CALLS" OFTEN BEAT THE LAW OF AVERAGES.

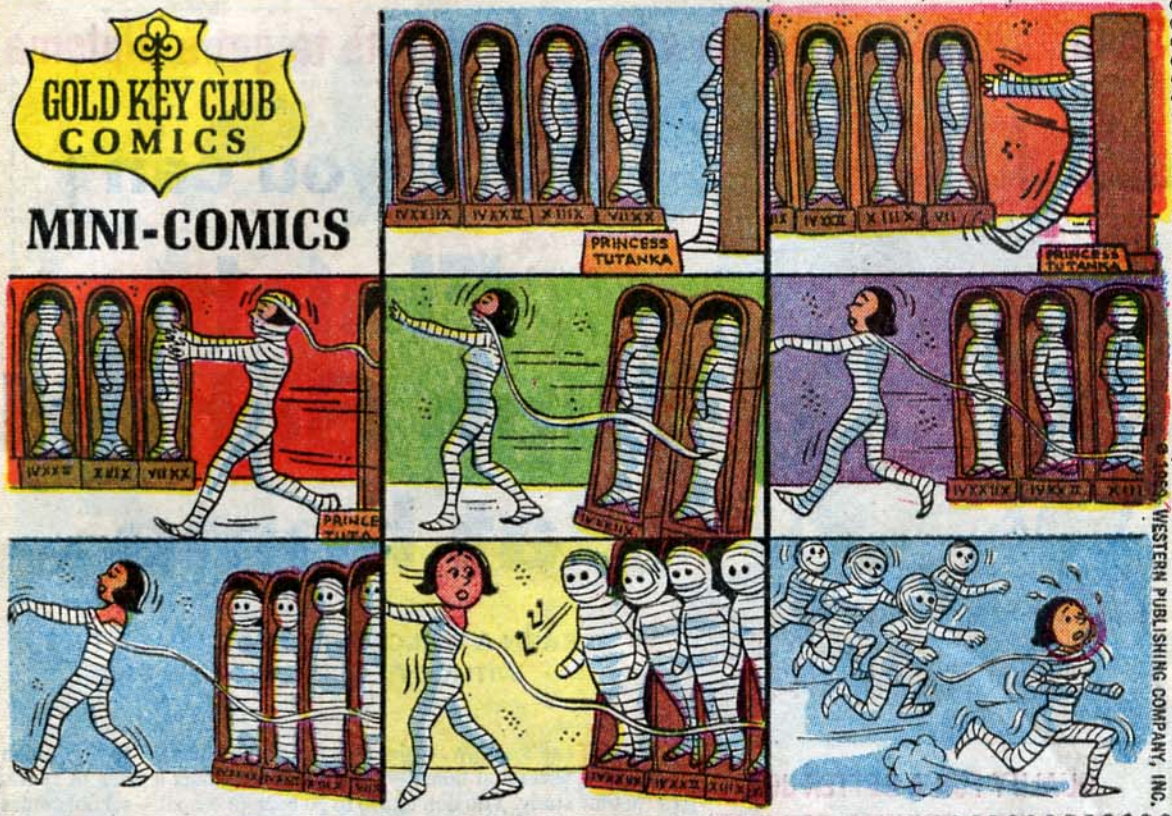


IN SOME EXPERIMENTS PEOPLE WITH ***ESP*** APPARENTLY CONTROLLED A ROLLING DIE, SO AS TO MAKE ONE PARTICULAR FACE APPEAR MORE OFTEN THAN THE LAWS OF CHANCE WOULD ALLOW.

EXPERIMENTERS FEEL THAT SOME PEOPLE ARE GIFTED WITH THE POWER OF ***TELEPATHY***--OR THE ABILITY TO READ THE MINDS OF OTHERS EVEN AT A GREAT DISTANCE...

EXPERIMENTS ARE BEING MADE TO TEST THE CLAIM THAT THERE ARE SOME WHO CAN PROPHESY EVENTS BEFORE THEY HAPPEN. THIS IS CALLED ***PRECOGNITION.***

OTHER SCIENTISTS ARE CHECKING THE POSSIBILITIES OF ***PSYCHOMETRY***--THE APPARENT ABILITY OF SOME GIFTED PEOPLE TO DISCOVER THE FACTS ABOUT ANOTHER PERSON SIMPLY BY TOUCHING HIM OR BEING NEXT TO HIM.

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